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Sl. No.	Name of the bidder Co./Foreign Coll.	Circles offered
1.	JT Mobile/Telia, Sweden	A.P., Punjab
2.	Modicom/Vanguard, USA	Punjab, Karnataka
3.	Birla Comm./AT&T, USA	Gujarat, Maharashtra
4.	US West-BPL Telecom/US WEST, USA	Tamilnadu, Kerala, Maharashtra
5.	Aircel Digilink/Swiss PTT, Switzerland	Haryana, Rajasthan, UP(East)
6.	Escotel/First Pacific, Hongkong	UP (West), Haryana, Kerala
7.	Koshika/Phillipino Telecom, Philipines	UP (East), UP (West) Orissa, Bihar
8.	Hinduja HCL/Singapore Telecom, Singapore	Tamilnadu
9.	Cellular Com./Airtouch, USA	MP.
10.	Reliance Telecom/Nynex, USA	MP, West Bengal, Orissa, Bihar, N.E., Assam, HP
11.	Hemaxom/Kuwait Mobile, Kuwait	N.E., Rajasthan
12.	Bharati Telenet/STET, Italy	H.P.
13.	Tata Comm./BELL, Canada	A.P.
14.	Fascel/Bezeq Israel	Gujarat

Enquiry into the Milk Miracle

389. SHRI SANATAN BISI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have conducted any enquiry into the incident of milk miracle i.e. God Ganesh drinking milk which occurred recently in the country;

(b) what is the outcome of the enquiry; and

(c) what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (PROF. MEIJINLUNG KAMSON): (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Waiting list for telephone connections in Punjab

390. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of persons registered in the districts of Punjab State for getting telephone connections at present, districtwise; and

(b) what steps have been taken by Government for providing them telephone connections expeditiously?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATION (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) Districtwise waiting list of Punjab State as on 30.10. 95 is enclosed as statement (*see* below)

(b) A target of providing 182500 telephone connections has been fixed for Punjab Circle during 1995-96. With this applicants who have registered prior to 31.3.95 are likely to be covered by

March, 1996, subject to the availability of equipment and other resources.

National Telecom Policy, 1994 envisages provision of telephone on demand by 1997 including Punjab.

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Details of Districwise Waiting List of Punjab State as on 30.10.95

S. No.	Name of District/SSA		Waiting List
1.	Amritsar		11044
2.	Bhatinda (Mansa)		6085
3.	Ludhiana		56675
4.	Ferozpur (Faridkot Muktsar)		12880
5.	Pathankot (SSA head Gurdaspur)		4151
6.	Hoshiarpur		7671
7.	Jalandar (Kapurthala Navashahr)		36427
8.	Patiala (Fatehgarh Sahib)		15442
9.	Sangrur		9574
10.	Ropar		2834
		TOTAL	162783
11.	Chandigarh (UT)		41079
		GRAND TOTAL	203862

Participation by Nations in Oil Meet

391. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that recently 25 nations participated in an oil meet; and

(b) if so, the details of the meeting and the decision taken to increase the oil production?